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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

RE: Applicant(s): Eduard K. de Jong  
Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.  
Title: APPLICATION PROGRAM OBFUSCATION  
Serial No.: 10/672,698 Filed: September 25, 2003  
Examiner: Daniel L. Hoang Group Art Unit: 2436  
Docket No.: P-7008

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the response to the Office Action dated November 21, 2008 in the above application:

1. Return receipt postcard;
2. This Transmittal Letter (2 pages);
3. Amendment (4 pages).

- ☒ No additional claims fees are required.  
☐ The additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining after Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	24	- 48	= 0	x \$52.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	12	- 17	= 0	x \$220.00	\$ 0.00
First filing of Multiple Dependent Claim (Enter \$290)					0.00
Total of above Calculation					\$0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for small entity)					1.0
Subtotal					\$ 0.00
Submission of Information Disclosure Statement Fee (enter \$180)					0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>\$ 0.00</b>

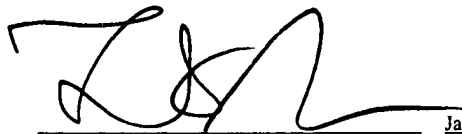
☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such an extension of time.

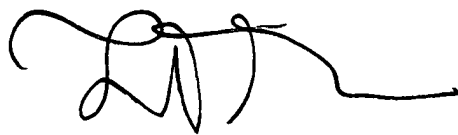
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on January 30, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

  
 Attorney for Applicant(s) January 30, 2009  
Date of Signature

  
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 Reg. No. 32,899

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Reply to Office Action of November 21, 2008

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 21, 2008,  
please consider:

1. Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.